

## Biography

### Imtiaz (Art) Ather

Army Senior Fellow  
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Mr. Ather was selected for the Army Senior Fellows Program in 2007. His special assignment includes serving on special projects at Army Materiel Command pioneering System of Systems based communication solution, and establishment of Army Contracting Command. Current assignment involves participation in Industrial College of Armed Forces (ICAF).

Before assuming the role as an Army Senior Fellow, Mr. Ather served as the Command Liaison for the U.S. Army Aviation and Missile Command (AMCOM) in Washington, serving at both HQ, Department of Army, and HQ, U.S. Army Materiel Command. Prior to that assignment, he served as the Logistics Director, within Integrated Materiel Management Center at AMCOM providing oversight for 15 weapon systems, to include KIOWA WARRIOR, COMANCHE, and HUEY aircraft.

#### CAREER CHRONOLOGY:

- January, 2005 – July, 2007: Command Liaison, HQ Army Materiel Command, Ft. Belvoir, VA and HQ Dept of Army, Washington, DC
- July, 2001 – December, 2004: Director, Scout Observation Directorate, U.S. Army Aviation and Missile Command, Redstone Arsenal, AL
- July, 1999 – June, 2001: Supervisor, Aerospace Engineer, U.S. AMCOM Army Aviation and Missile Command, Redstone Arsenal, AL

#### EDUCATION:

- Aeronautical Engineering Degree (BS) – St. Louis University, St. Louis, MO
- Aircraft Maintenance Engineering (AS) – Piedmont Aerospace, Winston-Salem, NC

#### SIGNIFICANT TRAINING

- October, 2007 - Senior Executive Dev program, Center for Excellence, George Washington University , Washington, DC
- February, 2007 - Advanced Life Cycle Logistics Management, Ft. Belvoir, VA
- May, 1998 - Army Management Staff College, Ft. Belvoir, VA

#### CERTIFICATIONS:

- System Planning Research and Development - Level-III
- Advanced Life-Cycle Logistics - Level-III

#### AWARDS AND HONORS:

- Superior Civilian Service Medal, Exceptional Performance(06)
- Achievement Civilian Service Medal, Outstanding Weapon Sys/Yr(05)
- Superior Civilian Service Award Medal, Operation Iraqi Freedom(04)
- Association USA National Award - Certificate of Achievement(04)

#### PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS:

- Army Aviation Association of America,
- Acquisition Reform Today
- Army Management Staff College